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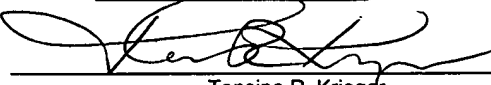
Atty. Docket No.: 3123-369

For: "METHOD AND APPARATUS  
FOR USING DATA  
COMPRESSION AS A MEANS OF  
INCREASING BUFFER  
BANDWIDTH"

Group Art Unit: 2182

Examiner: Elamin, Abdelmoniem I.

**REQUEST FOR THREE-MONTH  
EXTENSION OF TIME**

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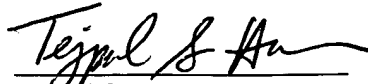
Dear Sir:

Applicant, through his attorney, respectfully petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) of three (3) months in which to respond to the Office Action mailed March 10, 2004, with respect to the above-identified patent application, thereby extending the period for response from June 10, 2004 to September 10, 2004.

Applicant hereby authorizes the Commissioner to charge the credit card identified on the enclosed Form PTO-2038 in the amount of \$950.00 for the fee set forth in 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(3) for payment of the extension fee. Applicant believes that no other fees are due. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to debit Deposit Account No. 50-2198 for any fee deficiencies associated with filing this paper.

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Respectfully submitted,

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